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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA SHREVEPORT DIVISION

JOHN POULLARD

CIVIL ACTION NO. 05-1019-P

versus

JUDGE STAGG

KATHLEEN BLANCO, ET AL.

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HORNSBY

MEMORANDUM ORDER

It appears that a trial before Judge Stagg will be necessary to resolve Plaintiff's claims against defendants Pam Hearn and Jerry Goodwin. Plaintiff's complaint includes a request for a jury trial. To prepare for the jury trial, the parties must submit **Pretrial Statements**. After the pretrial statements are filed, the court will set a date for a pretrial conference and a jury trial.

On or before **November 27, 2006, Plaintiff** shall file his Pretrial Statement that contains (1) a list of all exhibits he intends to offer into evidence and (2) a list of the names and addresses of all witnesses he intends to call, along with a brief summary of the anticipated testimony of each witness. Plaintiff shall serve a copy of the statement, together with copies of all proposed exhibits, on counsel for Defendants, and he shall include on the original document filed with the Clerk of Court a certificate stating the date that a true and correct copy was mailed to Defendants' counsel.

On or before December 15, 2006 Defendants shall file and serve their Pretrial

Statement that contains (1) a list of all exhibits they intend to offer into evidence and (2) a list of the names and addresses of all witnesses Defendants intend to call, along with a brief summary of the anticipated testimony of each witness. Defendants shall serve a copy of the statement, together with copies of all proposed exhibits, on Plaintiff, and they shall include on the original document filed with the Clerk of Court a certificate stating the date that a true and correct copy was mailed to Plaintiff.

Failure of a party to list an exhibit or witness in a pretrial statement will result in exclusion of that evidence at the trial absent a showing of manifest injustice to the offering party that outweighs any prejudice to the opposing party.

Failure to file a pretrial statement may result in dismissal or other appropriate sanction. After the statements have been filed, the court will issue further orders regarding the trial date and related proceedings.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Shreveport, Louisiana, this the <u>30</u> day of October, 2006.

> MARK L. HORNSBY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE